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To: Field Managers and Cultural Resource Staff

From: Deputy State Director, Resources Policy and Management

Subject: Orientation on Revised BLM/SHPO Protocol – September 6, 2006

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The purpose of this Information Bulletin is to notify Field Managers and cultural resource staff who missed Protocol orientation in May of the next scheduled opportunity.

The revised Protocol requires that all Field Managers, cultural resource staff, and immediate supervisors of cultural resource staff receive orientation in Protocol procedures. The next opportunity is September 6, 2006, in the Casper Field Office conference room. The orientation session will begin at 9 a.m. and end no later than 4 p.m.

On September 7, also in Casper, training in the Visual Contrast Rating system will be held for any cultural resource staff that missed this training in May. This training will consist of classroom training in the morning and a field exercise in the afternoon. Only cultural resource specialists are required to attend Visual Contrast Rating training.

To facilitate preparation of training materials, it is requested that those who plan to attend Protocol orientation or Visual Contrast Rating training notify Judyth Reed by e-mail at <u>Judyth_Reed@blm.gov</u> or by telephone at 307-775-6017 no later than August 31. Questions regarding either session should also be directed to Judyth Reed.

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